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TELEGRAPHIC.

Winnipeg, October 17th.
Additional Cuban battles are reported.
Prairie fires continue to do great damage in Manitoba.

French forces lost forty killed in a fight with pirates in Tonquin.

Dr. Charles T. Clarke considers the murderer Shortis a moral imbecile.

France proposes to spend forty million pounds on her navy in the coming twelve years.

Suits for malfeasance of office have been brought against the mayor and aldermen of Montreal.

Governor Clarke, of Arkansas, is determined to prevent the Corbett-Fitzsimmons fight at Hot Springs.

United States fishermen are said to be encroaching on Canadian waters in B. C., and the Ottawa authorities have been appealed to.

The Montreal corn exchange as well as the Winnipeg exchange board has urged the government to reduce the wheat inspection fees.

New Brunswick general elections took place yesterday. The result is that the opposition will have only 9 members out of 46.

Lieutenant Governor Patterson arrived in Winnipeg yesterday accompanied by the members of his family. They have taken up their residence at government house.

The leading English Protestants of Montreal are petitioning the government against the appointment of Solicitor General Curran as superior court judge.

VANCOUVER MARKETS.

Specialty reported for the Bulletin by Edmund, Brown & Co., general commission merchants.

Vancouver, B. C., Oct. 17th.

British Columbia wholesale quotations: Wheat, \$22 dollars per ton; oats, \$19.50; butter, creamery, twenty-two cents; dairy, ten to fifteen; cheese, nine; eggs, eastern; fifteen, fresh, twenty-four; Ashcroft potatoes, \$15 per ton; dressed beef, five to six cents; mutton, seven; oranges, \$3.50; lemons, \$5 to \$6 per case. A rise of 3c on butter and a drop of \$4 a ton on potatoes.

LOCAL.

T. G. Wilson, of Banff, left for home on Tuesday's train.

C. BRINDLEY's steam mining scow is working at Schiedam's flat.

W. T. JENNINGS, of Toronto, left on Tuesday's train for the east.

CONCERT in aid of the Presbyterian church at Agriola on Friday evening, Oct. 18th.

W. A. FRASER, of the government oil boring party, left for the east on Tuesday.

The Battleford Herald quotes new oats at 55c to 60c a bushel, and potatoes 25c to 30c a bushel.

On Monday night a great place of prairie fires was seen far to the east and another to the south.

THOMAS FRANKLAND, of Stonewall, Manitoba, has been successful in raising plums on his farm there.

BISHOP YOUNG, of Athabasca, left for the Landing on Tuesday afternoon, where he will reside for the winter.

WALTER & HUMBERSTONE will shut down their saw mill to-day for the season. They will dress lumber for a month yet ready for next season's trade.

The steam engine and separator belonging to Lac la Biche mission were started for their destination on Monday afternoon. People from Lac la Biche are hauling them out.

SINCE the closing of the Beaver lake land office entries for lands in townships 49 and 50, ranges 8 to 20 inclusive, west of 4th meridian, must be made at Wetaskiwin.

In township 50 and north, in ranges 8 to 19 inclusive, entries must be made at the Edmonton office.

The Regina Leader under its new management is to be congratulated on the full and moderately fair reports which it gave of the proceedings of the Northwest assembly at its recent session—reports of which the BULLETIN has not scrupled to avail itself freely, and for which it now desires to express its indebtedness.

THE Regina Leader has a three column article on its first page signed "Nicholas Flood Davin" in which that gentleman gives his opinion of Mr. Haultain the Northwest premier, in regard to the much discussed relief work vote. Speaking of the opinion of Sir Mackenzie Bowell on the propriety of the manner of the relief fund expenditure he says: "As to the relief fund, the premier said point blank the Northwest executive had no authority whatever to spend money voted for schools and roads and bridges on relief work, and that they would have to provide for it out of their general vote."

T. G. PEARCE, of Agriola, one of the promoters of the Parry Sound colony, was in town yesterday, assisting several of the settlers of the colony to apply for their patents. The settlers of the first colony have now been three years and are entitled to patent for the claims which they took. They are all satisfied with the country and with the measure of success which they have attained since they came. Other colonies coming to Edmonton may have aroused higher expectations than that from Parry Sound, but none have done better for themselves or for the country than these, our own people.

W. WALKER's traction thresher passed through town on Wednesday to thresh at the farms on the St. Albert road. Up to date this season Mr. Walker has threshed 38,000 bushels of grain of which 35,000 was in Agriola and Clover Bar settlements. About 20,000 bushels was oats and of the remainder rather more than half was wheat. The rest was barley. The oats were not a heavy crop, but the bulk of the grain was good. The wheat was good in the Agriola settlement, but in some other localities it was damaged by frost, chiefly on the low lying land. The barley was a fair crop. One well's thresher is still at work in Clover Bar settlement and McLennan's in Fort Saskatchewan settlement.

TRAIN left Calgary on time.

WINNIPEG has 100 cases of scarlet fever. Good progress is being made with the second street grade.

J. J. YOUNG, of the Calgary Herald, arrived on Monday's train on a business trip.

DR. ROYAL is attending the treaty payments in the west as departmental physician.

THE weather is cloudy to-day and a little rain fell this forenoon. It is needed to stop the prairie fires.

PROF. ROBERTSON, Dominion dairy commissioner, came up to Red Deer on Monday's train and returned on Tuesday.

MAYOR WILSON has gone to Saddle Lake to attend the Indian treaty payments. Councillor Strang is acting mayor during his absence.

S. GARNHAM, who was engaged on the BULLETIN last spring, revisited Edmonton per Monday's train. He now hails from Vernon, B. C.

L. GIBNEY, of South Edmonton, has sold several village lots on his estate, at \$50 an acre. His property is west of the subdivided town site.

BISHOP GIBNEY left for the Landing and Lesser Slave lake on Tuesday. He will remain at Slave lake all winter, as it is now too late to reach his official residence at Chipewyan.

A SERIOUS fire swept north of St. Albert from west to east on Tuesday afternoon, destroying many stacks of hay and some buildings. It was driven rapidly by a high wind and took nearly everything in its track.

THREE German miners arrived from Fort Pitt on Tuesday, where they have been working on the river all summer. They have been making \$2.50 a day on an average, all season. They will fit out with supplies and return to winter there.

MR. WALKER, who recently purchased the unsold portion of Jos. Macdonald's estate in South Edmonton, is busily subdividing the blocks into lots, ready for sale. Mr. Macdonald retains his home property of about sixteen acres where his house stands.

JOHN KELLY, manager of the steam gold dredge now at Livingstone's slough, is in town. He says the dredge works perfectly as far as raising the gravel is concerned, but some improvements are still required in order to save all the gold in the gravel that the dredge raises. They are working in six feet of pay dirt.

THE Edmonton Pork Packing Company has every preparation made to begin the purchase and slaughter of hogs by Nov. 1st, if the weather is sufficiently cool. They will only handle live hogs and will pay Winnipeg prices. Hogs will fatten more quickly now on a certain amount of feed than they will when the weather becomes colder.

THE Presbyterian church choir are about to inaugurate a series of popular concerts. These entertainments are to take the form of the old time "Penny Readings." The committee have secured a most attractive programme for the opening, and a worthy "old timer" has kindly consented to contribute to the programme and give the entertainment a send off.

A. E. POTTER started his new mining machine at work to-day on Hibbert's bar. The machine is an improvement on the one which Mr. Potter had in conjunction with Mr. Easton. The power for raising the gravel and water is furnished by two horses working a circular horse power. The mechanism is very ingenious, and gives every promise of success.

TWO rats of logs belonging to Peter McPhee were sold on Tuesday, together with 18,000 feet of lumber, for non-payment of dues. The lumber had been sawn by Walter & Humberstone for McPhee and was afterwards seized by the government. One raft was bought by Walter & Humberstone and the other by D. R. Fraser. The lumber was bought by J. J. Duggan, of South Edmonton.

THE water power grist mill on Battle river, in connection with the Battle river Indian agency, is running in good style this fall and grinding a great deal of grain for surrounding settlers besides the Indians. It also furnished power for the thresher, the grain grown on the reserves being hauled to the mill to be threshed. Indians do all the work. A saw mill is being rigged to be run by the same power when the grinding is finished. The mill is an evidence of the energy and ingenuity of the agent, Mr. Clark.

THE Regina Leader announces that J. C. Pope, late Territorial accountant and chief license inspector, has been made Territorial auditor; V. Dodd has been made chief license inspector; E. J. Wright becomes secretary of the council of public instruction in the place of James Brown; John A. Fraser, of Toronto, for "Bob Shwey's Ruby," a story of Edmonton for some time, having resided at Edmonton for some time, having been employed in the land office here. He is the sole survivor of the Frog lake massacre of 1885, and is well known along the Saskatchewan. No man is better fitted by thrilling experience and close insight to give Northwest stories strong local color than Mr. Cameron. Mr. Fraser who takes the second prize, is the gentleman in boring outfit at Athabasca Landing and who acquired the material for his story by a residence of some years in the place.

MR. FRASER, who was engaged in prospecting for oil. Mr. Fraser has written a number of short stories which have appeared in United States periodicals. He is an artist as well as a story writer and has an artistic sense of taking views of scenery around the Landing, due in the long summer evenings after the work of the day at oil boring was over.

COLIN JOHNSON, trader of the Landing, is in town.

REV. MR. GLASS and Mrs. Glass left on Tuesday for Whitefish lake.

MRS. AND MISS ADAMSON have removed from town to reside for the winter with Mr. James Adamson, of Clover Bar.

DR. J. D. HARRISON and bride arrived from Fredericton, N. B., on Monday's train. They are at present residing with Mr. and Mrs. Jas. McDonald.

REV. G. W. DEAN did not leave for Brandon on Tuesday as expected on account of the postponement of the mission board meeting there until the 30th.

F. W. G. HAULTAIN, Territorial premier, came north to Innisfail on Monday's train to settle a school trouble there and returned south on Tuesday, going on to McLeod.

ACTING MAYOR STRANG has called a meeting of the ladies interested in getting up a charity ball in aid of the hospital, to be held in the town hall at 2 p. m., on Friday, October 18th.

MISS COOKSON, Miss Rogers, Messrs. McAdam, McKenzie, McCauley and Randall, of the Presbyterian church choir will take part in the Presbyterian church concert at Agriola to-morrow night.

ISAAC COWIE, Edmonton, and Geo. W. Gairdner, of St. Albert, have entered into partnership as insurance and real estate agents. They will carry on business in the office at present occupied by Isaac Cowie.

On Tuesday, Trombley, of Cut bank lake, was charged with having obtained \$23 worth of goods from Gould, a storekeeper of Wetaskiwin, on false pretences. He pleaded guilty and will receive sentence to-day.

In the Methodist church Sabbath morning the pastor will preach a short object sermon to young people on "ropes and habits." The subject of the discourse in the evening will be "True Church Membership."

W. HOWEY has purchased the lot next north of the building formerly occupied by Lafferty & Moore's bank, and is preparing to erect a building, to be used as a butcher shop, 20x30, one story, having 12 feet ceiling and cellar 14x24. K. A. McLeod contractor.

JOHN McLEOD arrived to-day from Wabasca lakes, about 100 miles north of Athabasca Landing, where he has been in the employ of Colin Johnson, trader of the Landing. This lake is in the heart of the almost unexplored territory of Athabasca between the Athabasca and Peace rivers. There is a very considerable Indian and half breed settlement there of people originally from Lesser Slave lake. They have horses and cattle which do well, and Mr. McLeod took in three pigs which are also doing well. The Church of England is establishing a mission there in charge of Rev. Mr. Weaver and a large mission house has been built for his accommodation during the present season by S. Johnson. A garden put in last spring for Rev. Mr. Weaver, did very well, showing that the climate as well as the soil is suitable for agriculture. Mr. McLeod returns north to-morrow.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

LOST.

In or near Edmonton on Tuesday afternoon a square leather satchel containing a writing case. Finder is requested to leave at Ross Bros.' store.

COWIE & GAIRDNER.

Fire, Life and Accident Insurance and Real Estate.

Farms for sale. Scrip bought and sold. Office: Imperial Bank Block, Edmonton, Alta.

ESTRAY BULL.

Came to the premises of the undersigned about one year ago, one red bull, three years old, no brand or marks. Was advertised last January. If the animal is not claimed within one month and charges paid the same will be offered for sale on Saturday, 16th November, at the premises of John McDowell, St. Albert.

TENDERS WANTED.

Tenders for furnishing coal to the Edmonton hospital, St. Joachim's pastorate and to the convent of the Rev. Mothers are asked for and will be received from to-day to Tuesday next.

REV. FATHER A. LACOMBE.

O. M. I.

NOTICE.

A meeting will be held in the Town Hall at 2 p. m. on Friday, Oct. 18th, at which the presence of all the ladies interested in the project of a Charity Ball in aid of the hospital is earnestly requested. It is intended that at the meeting a committee of management will be elected by those present willing to assist.

C. F. STRANG.

Acting Mayor.

Entertainment!

The Presbyterian Church Choir will give the first of a series of popular concerts, etc., in Houston's Hall on Friday, 25th inst. Rev. Mr. McQueen will occupy the chair. Doors open at 7.30. Concert at 8 p. m. Admission 10 cents.

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CREDIT SALE!

OF VALUABLE

MILCH COWS.

Under instructions from Mr. Wm. McKay, we will sell by Public Auction at his residence, back of Columbia Hotel, on

Saturday, October 26th, 1895

at 1 p. m., the following stock:

Six Milch Cows, young. Three Yearling Heifers. One Yearling Bull. Three Spring Heifer Calves.

All the cows are gentle to milk and are from good stock.

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FRANK OLIVER, — PROPRIETOR.

EDMONTON BULLETIN, OCTOBER 17th, 1895.

PROTECTION ON OATS.

The protective duty on oats is 10 cents a bushel, or say 30 cents per hundred pounds, and the question how much of this ten cents a bushel actually finds its way into the farmers' pockets, is an important question in practical politics. At present the market price of oats at Edmonton is 15c to 20c a bushel. The price in Spokane, Washington, our nearest competing point across the line is about the same. Now if oats are worth as much in Spokane as they are at Edmonton, it is quite clear that oats cannot be brought from Spokane to be sold at Edmonton any more than they can be taken from Edmonton to be sold in Spokane at a profit at present prices, even if there were no duty on either side. Given an even freight rate and no duty, Edmonton oats would be sold half way to Spokane and Spokane oats half way to Edmonton. The competition would be at the mid distance, which in this case happens to be on the Canada side and in the Kootenay district of British Columbia. A Canadian duty which would sufficiently increase the price of oats to the Kootenay consumer must (1) certainly give the Kootenay market to the Edmonton farmer, and no doubt would, if the advantage were not taken away by other considerations. Although the home price of oats is only 15c to 20c and the protective tariff is 10c, there has not yet, strange to say, been a bushel of Edmonton oats sold in the Kootenay country. Therefore as far as that trade is concerned the Edmonton farmer has not yet received any practical benefit from the protective tariff. The reason is that the freight rate from Edmonton to the Kootenay is so adjusted that all or nearly all the benefit of the tariff on any trade that might be done shall go to the railway company and not to the farmer. The railway haul from Edmonton to the Kootenay is to Revelstoke on the main line of the C. P. R. The computed mileage, allowing extra miles for extra difficulty of mountain operation, from Edmonton to Revelstoke is 569 miles, and the rate 44c per 100 pounds. For the same distance, going eastward, Secretan to Winnipeg, the charge is 26c per 100 pounds, giving the company a special rate off on the Kootenay trade of 18c per 100 pounds. This explains very clearly where six out of the ten cents alleged protection to the Edmonton farmer goes in the case of the Kootenay trade. Although it is not as clear just where the other four cents goes, the fact that the Edmonton farmer has not yet been able to do any trade with the Kootenay region proves clearly that it has not come his way, and therefore that it has been no advantage to him. The Edmonton farmer pays protective prices and high freights on what he has to buy, but when it comes to the protection on what he has to sell that he is specifically promised under the national policy, he finds that it has been calmly appropriated, with pretty nearly everything else in sight, by the railway company.

FIRES.

The splendid fall weather we have recently been having has produced its inevitable result, that is prairie and forest fires. Vegetation is now dry, the days are warm, bright and breezy and there is not sufficient dampness at night to stop the fires. The sky is red at night in several directions and the air in the day time is becoming smoky. The fall is a much more dangerous season for fires than the spring, as everything is now dry, while in spring a great deal of the country is certain to be wet. Fortunately we have not been troubled with fall fires of late years to any great extent. A friendly rain shower or slight snow fall coming at the right time would hold the evil in check until the nights had become so frosty as to

keep down the fires. We cannot tell how soon something of the kind will interpose this season, but on the other hand we cannot tell how long it will be. And in the meantime vast destruction may be done, as has been in Manitoba already. In no part of the Territories are fires under favorable conditions likely to do so much harm as in the Edmonton district, owing to the more luxuriant vegetation here. It is to be hoped that settlers and everyone in the district will be fully alive to the danger not only of allowing fires to escape, but also of allowing them to spread. It seems to be impossible to prevent fires being started. The law is wide reaching and severe enough and should be enforced, but there should be a spirit of responsibility in the people—a feeling that for their own sake and for the sake of their neighbors every precaution should be taken to keep a fire from starting, and if it is started to keep it from spreading, and to stamp it completely out by any possible amount of exertion. The mounted police have an important duty to perform in this case and not less has every citizen. The idea that "My neighbor is in danger, but not myself" is a poor one. A loss occurring to one settler is a loss not only to him, but to the community, and should be so looked upon and guarded against. The many new settlers may not realize fully the great necessity there is for special precautions and special exertion on occasion in this matter; but it is to be hoped that they will not wait to be taught by heavy losses. It is a duty that every man owes to himself and to his neighbor to have all necessary fire breaks plowed and every other possible precaution taken in good time. It is generally too late to plow fire breaks, when the fire is coming. If people are unprepared, everyone is driven to try to save his own property, and probably for lack of united effort all lose, when had they individually provided as well as might be for their own protection they would have been able to unite and fight the fire successfully. The man who leaves his stacks or buildings without proper fire breaks in a dry fall such as this is injuring himself and his neighbor at the same time. It may not be generally understood that in statute labor districts the overseer is a fire guardian and has authority to call out the people of the district to protect against or to fight fire. This duty is altogether outside the fixed days of statute labor.

Building for Sale

Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to 1st Nov. for purchase of building (fixtures excepted) at present occupied by All Saints Church. Possession to be given on completion of new church, or not later than 1st Jan., 1896. Building to be removed not later than 1st April, 1896. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Offers will also be received for purchase of Pews, Stoves and other fixtures.

G. R. F. KIRKPATRICK, People's Warden.

NOTICE.

THE LIQUOR LICENSE ORDINANCE 1891-92 AND AMENDMENTS, NORTH-WEST TERRITORIES.

Application has been made by Fanny Boyce for removal of her premises from the Walker House, Wetaskiwin, to the Briard House, Wetaskiwin. In case any protest against the granting of the removal is received within fourteen days from the advertisement of this notice, the application will be considered by the Board of License Commissioners for District No. 8, at Edmonton on Wednesday, November 6th, 1895, at 10 o'clock a. m.

V. DODD, Chief License Inspector. Dated at Regina this 7th day of October, A. D. 1895.

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BY-LAW No. 107.

A By-law to provide for borrowing on the credit of the municipality at large the sum of \$5,000.00.

Whereas for the purpose of permanently improving and benefiting the town, the Municipal Council has incurred debts as follows:

Cost of and incidental to the extension of Cliffe street to the lower ferry, \$ 788 50
Costs of and incidental to the extension of McDougall street, 1491 50
Costs of and incidental to obtaining better railway and general traffic facilities for the town, 1250 00

Making a total of the sum of \$3630 00

And whereas it is expedient to borrow the said sum of \$3630 00 for the purpose of paying the said indebtedness, and for that purpose to issue the debentures of the municipality whereof the principal shall be payable within twenty years from the date wherein this By-law shall take effect, and the interest whereof shall be payable half-yearly at the rate of six per cent. per annum.

And whereas it is expedient to provide for the repayment of the said principal sum by the creation of an equal yearly sinking fund.

And whereas the total amount to be raised annually by special rate for payment of the said debt by means of a sinking fund as aforesaid, and the amount of interest thereon, is \$330.00.

And whereas the amount of the whole of the rateable property according to the last revised assessment roll is \$967,863.00.

And whereas the amount of the existing debt of the municipality outside of the debt for the current expenses of the year, is \$34,862.23, incurred in respect of local improvements, and \$34,700.00 incurred in respect of permanent improvements, whereof no part is in arrears.

And whereas the special rate on the dollar on the rateable property in the municipality according to the last revised assessment roll required as being sufficient to pay the said interest and create the said equal yearly sinking fund for the payment of the principal is thirty-five one-hundredths of a mill.

Therefore the Mayor and Council of the Municipality of the Town of Edmonton in council assembled, enact as follows:

1. This By-law to take effect on the 2nd day of September, 1895.

2. The Mayor and Clerk of the Municipality may borrow upon the credit of the Municipality the said sum of \$3630.00, and may execute and issue debentures of the Municipality to that amount in sums of not less than \$500.00 each, repayable within twenty years from the said second day of September, 1895, with interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum, payable half-yearly; such debentures to be payable at the office at Edmonton of the Treasurer of the Municipality, and to have attached to them coupons for the payment of interest.

3. For the purpose of paying the amount which shall be required to be raised annually for paying the said interest, and creating an equal yearly sinking fund to be set apart for the payment of the said principal sum of \$3630.00, a special rate of thirty-five one-hundredths of a mill in the dollar over and above all other rates and taxes shall be levied (in the same manner and at the same time as the general municipal taxes) upon the whole rateable property of the municipality in each year for the period of twenty years, being the period during which the said debentures will run and within which the debt created thereby is to be discharged.

4. Friday, the 30th day of August, 1895, between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon at the office of the Town Clerk, Edmonton, in heretofore stated day and hour and place for taking the votes of the electors for and against the By-law.

5. A. G. RANDALL is hereby appointed as Returning Officer, and St. George Jettie, Deputy Returning Officer, to take the votes at the said time and place.

6. Friday, the 30th day of August, 1895, at the hour of six o'clock in the afternoon at the office of the Town Clerk, Edmonton, is hereby fixed as the time and place when and where the Returning Officer will sum up the number of votes given for and against this By-law.

Provisionally adopted in council this 7th day of August, 1895.

[L. S.] C. F. STRANG, Acting Mayor

A. G. RANDALL, Town Clerk

Finally passed in Council this 30th day of August, A. D. 1895.

[L. S.] C. F. STRANG, Acting Mayor

A. G. RANDALL, Town Clerk

Assented to this fifth day of October, A. D. 1895.

[L. S.] C. H. MACKINTOSH, Lieutenant Governor of the North-West Territories.

Government House, Regina, N. W. T., 5th October, A. D. 1895.

NOTICE.

The above is a true copy of a By-law passed by the Municipal Council of the Municipality of the Town of Edmonton on the 30th day of October, A. D. 1895, and approved by His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor in Council on the 5th day of October, 1895, and all persons are hereby notified to take notice that anyone desirous of applying to have such By-law or any part thereof quashed must make his application for that purpose to the Judge of the Supreme Court within two months next after the third publication of this notice or he will be too late to be heard in that behalf.

A. G. RANDALL, Clerk of the Municipality of the Town of Edmonton.

Edmonton, 10th October, A. D. 1895. 99-104

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We have endeavored to merit this and those who are acquainted with us know that we have taken no backward steps but kept steadily on gaining new friends and customers every day. We intend to go ahead all the time.

New goods all in and every department complete and some good bargains to be had for a few weeks, viz.:

50 Pieces Flannelette worth 10c. for 8c. per yard.
20 " " " 12½c. " 10c. "
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Full lines in Dry Goods, Gents' Furnishings, Boots & Shoes and Groceries.

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Wholesale and Retail Dealers in Shelf and Heavy Hardware, Paints, Oils, Glass and Putty. All kinds Tin, Sheet Iron and Galvanized Ironwork done on shortest notice.

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OF VALUABLE

Town Property!

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Friday, October 18th, 1895,

At 2 . m., at Robertson Hall, in the Town of Edmonton, the following property:

Lots numbered forty-six (46) and forty-seven (47) in Block numbered six (6), as shown upon registered Plan "D" of River Lots twelve (12) and fourteen (14), Edmonton.

There is situated upon the above property a small wooden building.

The above property is known as the property of Louis Brunelle, and is in the vicinity of K. A. McLeod's Sash and Door Factory.

Terms and conditions of sale will be made known at time of sale or on application to

P. L. McNAMARA, Vendor's Solicitor.

Or to W. S. Robertson, Auctioneer. 95-100

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OF VALUABLE

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Saturday, October 19, 1895,

At Robertson Hall in the Town of Edmonton at the hour of 2.15 p. m., the following property, viz.:

The Northwest quarter of Section 32, Township 54, Range 25, west fourth, in the District of Alberta.

The above property is situated in the St. Albert settlement and is known as the farm of Gideon Bellin, and has upon it valuable buildings and other improvements.

Terms and conditions of sale and further particulars and descriptions of the property will be made known at the date of sale or on application to

W. S. ROBERTSON, S. S. & H. C. TAYLOR, Auctioneer. Vendor's Advocates. 97-100

Ratepayers, Notice.

The Voters' List of the Municipality of the Town of Edmonton may be seen at my office on and after Monday, the 22nd inst.

Any person may apply to have the said list amended on or before the first day of November next, (vide Sections 55 to 57, part 2 of the Municipal Ordinance.)

A. G. RANDALL, Town Clerk

Edmonton, 19th Sept., 1895.

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Near Electric Light Works.

All orders promptly attended to and first-class work guaranteed.

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In this district and is prepared to sell at the very lowest possible rates.

Before purchasing your Lumber apply at Fraser's Mill for prices which we are sure you will find satisfactory.

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NORTHWEST ASSEMBLY.
REGINA, Sept. 27th, '95.
THE NEW SCHOOL GRANT SYSTEM.
Mr. Haultain moved the house into committee to consider the following resolution:

"That it is expedient that the legislative grants in aid of schools in the Territories be paid on the following basis on after the first day of January, 1896: (a) To each school having an average attendance of at least six pupils for the days during which it has been opened in any term, a sum of \$1.40 for each day the school is open; provided, that the total number of days in each year for which grants may become payable shall not exceed 210; (b) For every pupil in average daily attendance an additional amount of \$1.50 per school year of 210 days; (c) To each school where a teacher is employed who holds a first-class professional certificate the sum of 20 cents for each day (not exceeding 210) in the year such teacher is actually engaged in teaching; and to each school where a teacher holding a second class certificate, is so employed, the sum of 10 cents for each day (not exceeding 210) in the year such teacher is actually engaged in teaching; (d) To each school attaining a minimum grading upon the reports of its inspection, as prescribed by the council of public instruction, on its efficiency in respect of buildings, equipment, government, and progress, a sum not exceeding 15 cents nor less than 5 cents may be paid, according to such grading, for each day (not exceeding 210) on which the school has been open during the year. Provided, that in case the sum of the grants to be paid in any term under sub-sections (a), (b) and (c) of this section shall exceed 70 per centum of the salary actually earned by the teacher during that term, the amount of grant under the aforementioned sub-sections shall be reduced to the amount of the said 70 per centum of salary paid; Provided further, that the payments may be made in respect of the amounts earned under sub-sections (a), (b) and (c) of this section at the end of the term closing on April 15th, August 31st and December 31st, on receipt of the return prescribed by the council of public instruction and provided for in sub-section (1) of section 85 of this ordinance; but the grant earned by any school under sub-section (d) shall be paid only with the last payment of the year; Provided further, that in schools where more than one teacher is employed each department shall rank as a school under the provisions of sub-sections (a) and (b) of this section when the average attendance of the school shall at least equal 20 pupils to each teacher employed; but no board of trustees shall engage an assistant teacher (expecting government aid on that account) without having given the council of public instruction at least three months notice of their intention to do so and having received its approval; Provided further, that the amount or amounts shown in the treasurer's return, provided for in sub-section (1) of section 85 of this ordinance, to be due to any teacher or teachers shall be paid direct and proportionately to such teacher or teachers to the extent of the grant; Provided further, that no grant shall be paid to any school district until the bond of the treasurer provided for in section 84 shall have been received and registered by the council of public instruction.

Mr. Haultain said the general idea of the proposed grant was to pay directly according to the actual amount of work done by the schools. A calculation which had been made on the total amount payable on the proposed system showed there would perhaps be a reduction of about \$1,000 on the total expenditure of \$95,000. The principal feature of the new system was rather the adjustment of grants than a change in amount; That was, the new system would send the grants more generally round to the smaller schools under some headings than the old grants went. Under the old system the first grant was 70 per cent. of a grant of \$420, which made \$294 which each school might get. Under the new system the proposition was to pay \$1.40 a day for a school year of 210 days, which made exactly the same sum—\$294—but the actual number of days the school might be open was 216. Summer schools were open only a lesser portion of the time, so with them the first grant was identically the same as under the old system. The attendance grant also resulted in very much the same thing. The old system was a \$5 grant on pupils over ten in number; the new system was \$1.50 for all pupils in average attendance, and the result, when worked out, came to the same amount with the difference that under the old system all the smaller schools got really nothing, whereas now they did. Under the old system the total amount was \$7,870. Of that amount, \$7,040 went to yearly schools, and only \$830 to the summer schools. On a total of \$7,722 payable under the

proposed new grant, and the same conditions, \$5,500 would go to the bulk of the schools, and \$2,200 to the summer schools. Another most important feature of the proposed grants was the doing away with the examinations upon which the old \$18 grant to standard three was paid, and the paying on the actual amount of work done in the bulk. It was proposed to substitute a small grant to be distributed according to the standing of the schools on inspection. This could be called an experimental grant to a large extent, although it had been in vogue in England and Scotland for many years. So they simply proposed that the small amount of \$4,800 should be devoted to that purpose. It was proposed that the schools should be graded on a series of regulations made for the purpose, and then on the number of schools near this grade \$4,000 should be divided. This was the amount of the proposed inspection grant; the amount of the proposed certificate grant was \$5,084. The old grant on certificates was \$3,574, making a general saving in favor of the new system of about \$1,500. These figures were based on actual school figures for the year just past. For new schools \$2,000 had been estimated, which was a very liberal sum. This would give them just the right amount of money to meet the school expenditure. For other purposes there might be a balance of \$1,000. Of course all these calculations had to be made under varying conditions upon which it was very difficult to figure with any very great accuracy. To a certain extent that made the estimate a rough one, but so far as the actual state of affairs with the year immediately passed was concerned the executive had come within \$1,000 or so, which would not be very much on a total expenditure of about \$115,000. They encouraged the employment of a better class of teachers by offering a slightly increased inducement to schools to employ teachers holding a higher grade certificate. The attendance grant would go in a much fairer proportion to the small schools. The old system made it impossible for the large majority of the smaller schools to participate in the grant. The inspection grant was a direct inducement to schools to keep up the requirements of a teacher who would show good progress, and it would be on that heading more than any other heading that the grant would be distributed.

STATIONERY

Just arrived a full line in STATIONERY and CHINAWARE.

School Books, Slates, Pencils, Chalk, etc. Prices greatly reduced to suit the times. Young Ladies' Journal, Ladies' Home Journal, Munsey's, Godey's, Sketch, Strand, Delicieux, Cosmopolitan, etc. always on hand.

Will arrive next week 300 NOVELS by well known authors, to be sold or lent out on the Library system. It will pay you to call and inspect my stock, as the prices will suit you.

F. H. ANDREWS.

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All kinds of Funeral Furnishings.

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Our two hundred and twenty-five years' experience is again at your service, enabling us to offer you the best value obtainable when making your fall and winter purchases. Our stock, larger and more complete than any former one, is now to hand, opened, and priced at a very close margin. Our wish is not only to fill your wants but to give you full satisfaction in your purchases. Come and see. We will be pleased to show you the stock whether you wish to buy or not.

New Dress Goods.

English, French and German Tweeds in costume lengths from \$4.50 to \$7.00. Fancy Colored Stuffs from 35c to 70c per yard. English Serges, all wool, navy blue and black, 50c, 60c and 75c. per yard. Also a full range of colored Serges at 50c per yd. Ulster Cloth, Golf Cloth and Ladies' Coatings from \$1.25 to \$3.50 per yard. Eider-down Coating, plain 60c and fancy 75c per yard. Fancy colored Silk in stripes and checks for Blouses and Trimmings from 75c to \$1.25 per yard. Plain Pongee Silk in all colors 50c per yard.

Clothing and Furs.

As our trade in Clothing is steadily increasing we have this year given it special attention and can offer you exceptionally good value in material and workmanship. Men's Tweed Suits \$6.50 to \$15. Men's Tweed Pants \$1.50 to \$5.00. Boys' and Youths' Tweed Suits \$2.25 to \$7.00. Men's Overcoats \$6.50 to \$15.00. Boys' and Youths' Overcoats \$3.25 to \$7.50. Men's Fur Coats in Australian Bear, Wombat, Black and Grey Goat, Bulgarian Lamb and Coon from \$13.50 to \$60.00. Ladies' Fur Coats in Coon Lamb, Astrachan and Coon \$27.50 to \$45.00. Fur Caps, Capes, Storm Collars, Boas, Gauntlets and Muffs at all prices.

Woollen Goods and Underclothing.

A complete stock and an unusual combination of cheapness and excellence. Men's Underwear, all wool, from \$1 a suit up. Exceptional value in Flannelette 10c, 12c and 15c per yard.

We have a reputation at stake and pledge it on our goods at

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New Lumber Yard

Corner Jasper Avenue and Queen Street.

WEST OF FIRE HALL . .

The undersigned has the agency for Walter & Humberson's lumber. A full stock of Rough and Dressed Boards, Scantling and Square Timber always on hand.

British Columbia Lumber and Shingles. Sash, Doors and Frames on hand and to order.

FRANK OSBORNE.

GOOD HORSES!

Are needed to make Good Farms.

ESSERY & ALLEN,
Of South Edmonton, have just received a carload of first class Heavy Draught and General Purpose Horses from the famous Walrond Ranch. Low prices and a square deal. Call and see.

CITY Carriage Works!

Have once more reduced prices. Just received Summer Goods. Hubs, Spokes, Felloes, Wagon Poles, Shafts, Singletrees and Doubletrees. Singletrees, ironed complete, \$1. All kinds of repairing done at rates to suit the hard times.

BUCKBOARDS AND LIGHT DRIVING WAGONS.

Carriage Painting.

We are now prepared to execute painting in all its branches. Keeping a complete line of carriage paints, varnishes, etc., in charge of a first-class artist.

Remember the old stand. Established 1880.

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Stock of Spring Dress Goods

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To make room we are offering

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J. A. McDougall.

Wholesale and Retail Dealer.

Millinery, Millinery

FELT and VELVET HATS

New Fall Goods have arrived

A good assortment of Underwear and Ladies and Children's Corsets and Corset Waists.

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Fort Saskatchewan ALBERTA.

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GENERAL COMMISSION, REAL ESTATE AND INSURANCE BROKER.

AGENT FOR Several Fire Insurance Companies. Insurance effected in Town or County at low rates.

MANAGER FOR Fort Saskatchewan Townsite property. Price of Lots from \$30 to \$200.

Free site given to Roller Process flour mill, or other manufacturing industry.

Business men looking for openings will find this good point.

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Improved and Unimproved farms close to the Townsite.

NOTE.

Fort Saskatchewan is situated on the Banks of the North Saskatchewan River, and is the centre of the whole District of Edmonton, which is supposed to be the best agricultural and stock raising District in the whole Canadian Northwest, and has the Beaver Hills as a background, making it the most picturesque townsite in the West.

Anyone visiting Northern Alberta, should come and see

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Woodwork done on the

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Harnessmakers & Saddlers. Full line of Horse Furnishings constantly on hand. Repairing done promptly. West side Ross Street.

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JAS. DINNER,

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HOTEL ARRIVALS.

Alberta.—S. Garnham, Vernon, B. C.; A. C. Duke, Calgary; W. P. Montgomery, Fort Saskatchewan; S. T. Hubbard, Sturgeon; C. de Cazes, Stony Plain; E. de Couvent, St. Albert; Geo. Garvin, Rev. H. Downing, Wetaskiwin; Geo. W. Gairdner, St. Albert.

Queen's.—H. E. Sharpe, Winnipeg; J. J. Young, Calgary; R. E. Paule, Calgary; A. Paradis, Fort Saskatchewan; Mrs. Monte, Macleod; Felix Dyaack, Edwardsville, Ludwig Woyt, Ft. Pitt; T. C. Anderson, Wetaskiwin.

Jasper.—Rev. Bishop Young, Landing; J. A. Weir, D. McFarlane, South Edmonton; S. A. Florence, Sturgeon; H. Paradis, St. Albert; H. Payment, Mrs. Ring, Wetaskiwin; Colin Johnson, Landing; J. B. Beith, Graham, Fort Saskatchewan; F. B. Beith, Leduc; J. W. Whiting, Fort Saskatchewan; H. W. Edmonson, Clover Bar; Neil McDairmid, D. S. McKinlay, Stony Plain.

SUPREME COURT.

D. McDougall vs. Cairns & Kelly. Action to set aside a purchase of land as the site of a brewery made by defendant from plaintiff agents. The arguments in this case are being heard to-day. Defendants for plaintiff, Beck, Q. C., for defendant.

In the assessment appeals the assessment of David McDougall was reduced from \$15,025 to \$13,200. Joseph Vilas was reduced from \$2,499 to \$1,706, and the Edmonton Building & Investment Company's assessment was reduced from \$1,550 to \$1,200. The judge held that he could not sustain an assessment for an amount greater than the actual cash value of the property, no matter what other similar property might be assessed at. Decision has not been given in the appeal of D. McArthur, S. S. Taylor, H. C. Taylor, H. Robertson, P. Heimnick, P. Heimnick trustee, and the H. B. Co. The appeal of Edmonson & Taylor was withdrawn.

CHURCH OPENING.

The new Presbyterian church on Fort Saskatchewan was formally opened on Sunday last. Rev. D. G. McQueen, of Edmonton, conducted the morning service, taking for his text the words: "Though our outward man perish, yet the inward man is renewed every day." In the afternoon Rev. Mr. McQueen preached again from the words: "Then said they unto Him, what shall we do that we might work the works of God? Jesus answered and said unto them, this is the work of God, that ye believe on him whom he has sent." In the evening Rev. Mr. Taylor, of the Methodist mission at the Sturgeon settlement, preached from the words: "That they might be called trees of righteousness." Rev. G. F. Vetter, of the German mission east of Fort Saskatchewan, also spoke shortly in the evening. The building was well filled at all three services and the collection realized \$28.40.

On Monday evening a social in aid of the church was held, in which the Presbyterian choir from St. Edmonton took part. W. Clark, late leader of the Edmonton band, gave a concert solo, accompanied on the organ by Mrs. W. Johnston, Walker of Edmonton. Rev. Mr. Forbes, pastor of the church, was chairman and gave a short address. Addresses were also delivered by Rev. Mr. Atkinson of South Edmonton and Rev. Mr. McQueen of Edmonton. Refreshments were provided by the ladies of the congregation. The net proceeds amounted to about \$20.

REDUCTION OF RATES.

The following telegram was received this morning by the secretary of the Edmonton board of trade in response to representations that have been made from time to time by the board during the past month on this subject:

Winnipeg, Oct. 16.

Isaac Cowie, Edmonton.

I am issuing special tariff on grain and coarse vegetables from Edmonton district to Kootenay points at rate of fifty cents per hundred pounds for straight or mixed car loads. Minimum on grain and vegetables thirty thousand pounds and on hay twenty thousand pounds, taking effect on Tuesday, 22nd. Tariffs will be in the hands of agents on Monday next.

ROBT. KERR.

RIVAL ADVERTISERS.

Edmonton, Oct. 17th, 1895.

Editor of the Edmonton Bulletin.

DEAR SIR—I hope you will allow me a small place in your columns for the purpose of drawing the attention of the public to a matter which has only been seen in Edmonton, viz. parties in business here trying to use for their own benefit an advertising scheme first introduced here by a reliable firm of merchants; finding it was a good advertisement they tried to sidetrack the giant footprints to their own doors.

I think it shows little self-respect on the part of the parties concerned.

Yours, etc.,

J. G. FAIRBANKS.

Seven pairs of cattle and three of sheep left Prince Albert in one train recently.

The Calgary Tribune has an editorial announcement that J. R. Neff, minister of public works at Regina, had been allowed out of office. The Edmonton Spectator has the following contradiction of the rumor: The rumor that Mr. Neff, M. L. A., is no longer a member of the Executive Committee is not true. Mr. Neff is a member of the Executive until the Assembly declares otherwise. A vote of confidence in the Executive was passed at the late session of the Assembly, and therefore Mr. Neff stays where he is. The member for Neffomina received many assurances during the session that the work of his department was conducted with satisfaction to the country.

Qu'Appelle Vallette: "The relief expenditure was undertaken by the executive with a pledge from Mr. Daly that the amount so spent should be made good from Dominion funds. When Parliament met, Mr. Haultain went to Ottawa to see this pledge was made good.

As Mr. Ross' presence on the executive presides the idea that party fidelity prompted the action of the executive, what else can we conclude than, that in accepting this \$27,000 as being a part of the refund the executive has allowed the Territories to be unjustly dealt with rather than admit its own failure to collect a just claim."

LOCAL.

STOKY PLAIN treaty payment took place yesterday the 16th. Payments at Riviere Qu'Berre and Lake St. Ann follow.

JAS. WALSH, fur buyer, was at Banff last week, and is expected to arrive at Edmonton to-night to open the season's campaign.

LAND office business is increasing at the Edmonton office. Six homestead entries were granted during the week ending October 15th.

MONDAY's train brought two cars emigrants' effects from North Portal, to Edmonton, one car hardware and one car of oil for Ross Bros, two way cars.

GIDEON BELLISLE, of St. Albert, lost his house and three stacks of grain by the prairie fire of Tuesday. The same fire destroyed about 300 tons of hay.

JUDGE SCOTT received a telegram to-day calling him to Calgary by to-morrow's train. Court will therefore adjourn this afternoon until further notice. It may possibly reopen on Tuesday next.

R. Kerr, traffic manager of the C. P. R. writes to Isaac Cowie, secretary of the board of trade, that since the C. P. R. made the reduction to 60 cents per hundred on the freight rate from Edmonton to the Kootenay district, the Spokane Falls & Northern Railway has dropped its rates, so that, as he says: "We are now precisely in the same position we were in before." He also mentions that farmers in the Colville valley in Washington are only getting 10c a bushel for their oats and Manitoba farmers 15c. This is encouraging.

LONDON FUR SALES.

C. M. Lampson & Co's October fur sales commenced yesterday and are going on to-day. A special telegram to R. Secord, fur dealer gives the following figures: Beaver same as last January. Otter and Marten same as last March; red fox 15 per cent, wolverine 30 per cent, lynx 25 per cent, black bear 25 per cent, brown bear 30 per cent, grizzly bear 35 per cent and wolf 20 per cent a serious decline.

Hon. Mr. Hart, minister of public works in the Ontario cabinet, who lost his seat in Kingston on account of bribery in his election contest, was re-elected on Oct. 8th by acclamation.

The Free Press of October 10th says: Three hundred car loads of wheat arrived in the C. P. R. yards here yesterday in transit to Fort William. The deliveries in the province for the day amounted to 260,000 bushels.

The Neepawa (Manitoba) Register says that last week John Kerr's machine threshed 600 bushels of wheat of nine acres on the farm of E. W. Nicholson, of Bridge Creek. This is a yield of 66 2/3 bushels to the acre, of actual count from the machine. Measured by weight it would run a little over 70 bushels to the acre. Another field of 16 acres on the same farm produced 900 bushels while the whole crop, 105 acres, turned out 4,000 bushels. It is doubtful if this can be beaten in Manitoba.

METEOROLOGICAL.

The following temperatures are reported from the Dominion government observatory, Edmonton, for the dates given:

		Max.	Min.
Monday, 14,		64	
Tuesday, 15,		67	48
Wednesday, 16,		72	29
Thursday, 17,			41
Barometer reduced to sea level 29.938.			

BIRTHS.

ANDERSON—In Edmonton, Friday, October 11th, the wife of P. Anderson, of a daughter.

MARRIAGES.

HARRISON—LOGAN.—On Thursday, October 3rd, at the residence of the bride's mother, Fredericton, N. B., by the Rev. Mr. Tippett. Miss Jennie Logan, of Fredericton, to J. D. Harrison, M. D. of Edmonton.

EDMONTON AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY.

A meeting of Directors will be held in the Council Chamber on Friday, 25th Oct., at 2 p.m. Any parties having protests must hand them to the Secretary in writing before that date.

M. McCauley, Pres. J. R. TURNBULL, Sec-Treas

NOTICE.

Having made a change in my business, I beg to give notice that I have placed in the hands of Mr. A. McNicol, of Imperial Bank building, all my accounts due up to 30th August, 1895, for collection, and whose receipts for same will be sufficient. Parties having contra accounts up to that date are requested to render same.

JOSEPH KELLY.

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